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In the Matter of:

No. 7627

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LEONARD M. CALDERON, JR., dba C & L GROUP,

CONSENT ORDER

Respondent.

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A Notice of Hearing was issued by the Arizona

Department of Insurance ("the Department") on January 20, 1992,

wherein Department made certain allegations regarding the

conduct of Respondent. Respondent has received copies of said

notice and has been advised of his right to a hearing in the

matter, and hereby waives same.

Respondent hereby admits that the following Findings of Fact are true, and consents to the entry of the following Conclusions of Law and Order.

FINDINGS OF FACT

- 1. Respondent is, and was at all material times, licensed as a life and disability insurance agent by the State of Arizona (License No. 0557009). Respondent's license expires April 30, 1993.
- At all material times, Respondent and Rene F.
 Leyva were doing business under the assumed business name of C & L Group.
- 3. Respondent failed to file a certificate with the Director setting forth the assumed business name under which

- Employers Dental Services ("EDS") is a prepaid 4. dental organization authorized by the Director to operate in the State of Arizona.
- On or about February 10, 1989, Respondent entered into a Dental Commission Agreement with EDS, which allowed Respondent to present to employer groups the EDS dental plan.
- 6. On or about the dates listed below, Respondent, while acting as an agent for EDS, received premium payments in the amounts listed below, for the EDS dental plan, from the following individuals:

Applicant	Amoui	nt Paid		<u>Date Paid</u>
Aguirre, Manuel				
Aguirre, Miguel	\$	35.90		8/27/89
Alcantar, Alberto	\$	7.40		0,2,,03
Arias, Petra	š	200.00		4/8/89
	~	200.00		5/9/89
				6/26/89
Burnette, Robin	\$	200.00		6/21/89
	4	200.00		7/17/89
Coronado, Francisco	\$	35.90		8/22/89
Davis, Edna I.	\$	110.00		8/25/89
Garcia, David D.	\$	27.40		8/25/89
Edwards, Rick	Ψ	27.40	*	0/23/09
Escobal, Raymond, J:	r ¢	200 00		2/9/89
Ebecbul, Rujmona, b.	г. ф	200.00		6/20/89
				5/11/89
Figueroa, Steven	¢	50.90		
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Gardner, Leonard	\$	63.30		9/10/89
Gonzales, Frank	Ф	63.30		8/23/89
Gozum, James, Jr.	æ	200 00		0.40.400
Granillo, Olivia	\$	200.00		2/2/89
				3/15/89
				6/21/89
Hahn, Stephen				
Hernandez, Dennis				
Leal Julio	\$	27.40		

1	<u>Applicant</u>	Amount Paid	Date Paid
2	Leon, Dolores	\$ 27.40	9/8/89
3	Lofland, Dave Lopez, Alma	\$ 164.40	8/29/89
4	Lopez, Ellen Lopez, Mario Alberto	\$ 205.00	2/15/89
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6	Lopez, Rosemarie	\$ 200.00	6/23/89 7/17/89
	Lujan, Manuel F.	\$ 35.90 \$ 42.20 \$ 35.90	8/21/89
7	Mejia, Eulalia	\$ 42.20	8/31/89
8	Molina, Arturo M. Ramos, Rodolfo	\$ 35.90	9/8/89
9	Rivera, Enrique B.	\$ 150.00	2/9/89 3/31/89
10	Ruiz, Sergio	\$ 90.70	8/21/89 8/22/89
1	Smith, Virginia	\$ 27.40	0, 22, 0,
11	Urbano, Salazar	\$ 27.40 \$ 20.00 \$ 20.00	
	Villegas, Eva	\$ 20.00	
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6. On or about September 14, 1989, EDS terminated Respondent's agreement with EDS. EDS advised Respondent that it would honor enrollments pending as of September 13, 1989, but that no new participants under C & L Group would be accepted.

7. Respondent failed to forward premium payments collected and applications pending prior to September 14, 1989 to EDS, but instead misappropriated and converted said funds to his own use.

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

- 1. The Department of Insurance has jurisdiction over this matter.
- 2. Respondent's above-alleged conduct constitutes the wilful violation of, or wilful noncompliance with, any

provision of A.R.S. Title 20 or any lawful rule, regulation or order of the Director, in violation of A.R.S. § 20-316(A)(2).

- 3. Respondent's above-alleged conduct constitutes misappropriation, conversion or illegal withholding of monies belonging to policyholders, insurers, beneficiaries or others, in violation of A.R.S. § 20-316(A)(4).
- 4. Respondent's above-alleged conduct constitutes a conduct of affairs under his license showing him to be incompetent or a source of injury and loss to the public or any insurer, in violation of A.R.S. § 20-316(A)(7).

ORDER

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED:

- Respondent's insurance agent's license is immediately revoked.
- 2. Respondent shall pay restitution of \$2,598.80 to the Office of the Attorney General who is authorized to act as trustee and remit monies to those claimants listed on Exhibit A. Respondent shall pay \$500 to the Office of the Attorney General upon entry of this Order and \$100 on or before the first day of each month thereafter until the entire \$2,598.80 is paid. If Respondent fails to make the required \$100 payment by the first day of each month, a penalty of \$20.00 added to the monthly payment shall be imposed to be paid by the first of the next month. Any funds returned to the Office of the Attorney General as unclaimed, after being mailed to claimants last known address, shall, pursuant to A.R.S. § 44-1531.01(3),

go to the Consumer Protection-Consumer Fraud revolving fund to be used in accordance with the purposes set forth therein.

- 3. Respondent shall pay restitution on any claim for premium verified by the Department, from any member of the C & L Group listed on attached Exhibit B, made within one year of the date of this order.
- 4. Respondent agrees to be bound by the Department's determination as to the veracity and amount of any claim.

 Respondent agrees to waive appeal of any claim determination the Department makes.

DATED this 27th day of April , 1992.

SUSAN CALLINGER, Director Arizona Department of Insurance

CONSENT TO ORDER

- 1. The undersigned acknowledges that he has read the foregoing Findings of Fact, Conclusions of Law and Order and is aware of his right to an administrative hearing in this matter and has waived same.
- 2. The undersigned admits the jurisdiction of the Department and admits the foregoing Findings of Fact and consents to the entry of the foregoing Conclusions of Law and Order.
- 3. The undersigned states that no promise was made to him to induce him to enter into this Consent Order and declares that he has entered into this Consent Order

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voluntarily.

- 4. The undersigned acknowledges that acceptance of this Consent Order is for the purpose of settling this litigation as against him and does not preclude the Department of Insurance, or any other agency or officer of this State, or subdivision thereof, from instituting other civil or criminal proceedings as may be appropriate now or in the future.
- The undersigned waives all rights to challenge such Findings of Fact, Conclusions of Law and Order on appeal or otherwise, and agrees to be bound by the foregoing Order.

Date

LEONARD M. CALDERON, JR., dba

C & L GROUP, Respondent

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

GRANT WOODS, Attorney General H. LESLIE HALL, Chief Counsel Consumer Protection & Antitrust Section

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